

# ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE AND VIRGINIA ADVERTISER.



ALEXANDRIA, VA.

THURSDAY EVENING, JANUARY 25, 1883.

POZENS of white men of the South have been sent to the Albany penitentiary, some of whom have died there, under a statute which the highest court in the land has just declared null and void by reason of its unconstitutionality. If Madam Roland were alive now, well might she repeat her famous exclamation. But what redress have the victims, or their widows and children? Talk about the tyranny of monarchical governments! Why, there never was a greater travesty upon the liberty of the citizen than that practiced in some of the U. S. courts in the South since the war.

In its editorial comments upon the present state of affairs in France the *Baltimore American*, republican, says:

"The Imperialists long for the return of the empire, pretty much as the third-termers here long for the extravagances, favoritisms and perquisites of Grantism. The parallel between the 306 medalists in this country and the Bonapartists of France is quite striking, and the history of this country shows how great a power may be wielded by a small minority which is united by self-interest and led by bold and unscrupulous men."

MR. MOORE, republican, of Tennessee, wants the Constitution changed so as to allow States to be sued by their creditors like individuals; but General Mahone, republican, of Virginia, is utterly opposed to any such idea, and says that States can repudiate their debts with impunity. By the law they certainly can; the gospel, however, is as certainly furnished—any such proceeding—but of it the General takes little heed.

THERE are coalitions and coalitions. A good one was that by which under Walker Virginia was redeemed from carpetbag and scalawag rule. A bad one was that by which General Mahone with the aid of the solid negro vote got possession of the State and has made her name a byword and a reproach abroad as well as at home.

THE FEBRUARY number of the *St. Nicholas Magazine*, for young folks, has been received by its publishers, The Century Company, New York.

**Horrible Cases of Cruelty Perpetrated.**

The *North Herald* gives an account of the barbarous treatment practiced on the crew of the British bark *Aida* by the chief officers of the vessel, which for a system of refined cruelty surpasses even some of the acts perpetrated by the infamous Spanish Inquisition. The vessel left Cadiz on the 28th of last November with three officers—Captain Gray, the first mate, the Captain's son, and James Connor, the second mate, and six men before the mast. The vessel was hardly three days out when the first act of cruelty was performed, and William Johnson was the victim. The first mate, without the slightest provocation, poured boiling hot water over his legs and feet, and applied to him the most profane language. On the 1st of December the mates called one of the men into the carpenter shop, pounded him and pinched his flesh so hard as to actually sever it from his body, then sent him to take charge of the wheel, and wound up by kicking him about the legs and ankles until they were dislocated. It was, however, toward Thomas Proven, who is a mere boy, only eighteen years of age, that the officers entertained special hatred, and it was upon him that the most barbarous acts were committed. One day the first mate ordered him to him and bring a coal tar pot and brush. Proven obeyed. The first mate asked him, "Did you ever cross the trades before?" Proven replied, "No," and as he opened his mouth to say so, the second mate, Connor, held him by the head, while the first mate, Gray, thrust the tar brush down the lad's throat. Connor then said, "There is a second addition to this; you have got a disease, but we have got a cure for it." He then took off the lad's clothes and the two fiends completely tarred and feathered him, and then the first mate ordered him to bring him a pint-pot and brush, and when the boy brought them he and the second mate lashed his hands behind him and painted Proven's face and body entirely over. They then, as a grand finale, thrust the brush down the lad's throat. Upon the arrival of the vessel at port, complaint was made, and an order issued for the arrest of the human devil. The first and second mates are under arrest, and the arrival of the captain from New York is anxiously awaited to obtain him official attention. Proven is in a critical condition, and fears are entertained that his injuries will prove fatal.

MR. O. B. Barksdale, a citizen of Albemarle county, Va., who was killed on the Virginia Midland railway on Monday evening, near Bethel station, by being run over by the fast train, went to town on Monday on horseback to attend to some business, and finding a friend who was returning by the railroad he determined to accompany him, and sent his horse home by the way, intending to get off at Bethel and walk to his residence. Arriving at Bethel the two proceeded on their way, taking the railroad track, and as they got on a small trestle they were overtaken by the Louisville and Washington express. Being aware of their danger, Mr. Barksdale pushed his companion Mr. Neil Gilbert, who is a perfectly deaf man of the trestle, which was only about five or six feet high, and either failed to jump himself or fell, and was struck and cut in two. Mr. Barksdale was about sixty-four years of age, and leaves a family. The report that he was under the influence of liquor was incorrect.

A few nights since a body of disguised men forcible took from the jail of Russell county, two white men, O. F. Ferrall and Evan Griffith, confined on a charge of obtaining under false pretenses about \$18,000 worth of cattle from graziers in that section. Nothing is yet known as to what was done with the prisoners, but it is generally believed they were lynched by the persons who were swindled by them. The prisoners had secured a change of venue to Washington county, and were to have been taken thither on Monday for trial.

**FROM WASHINGTON.**  
Special Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.  
WASHINGTON, D. C., January 25, 1883.—The republicans of the Senate held a caucus this morning to determine definitely upon the course they shall pursue on the tariff question, but before any conclusion had been reached the hour for the session of the Senate arrived, and it had to adjourn. It will reassemble as soon as the Senate adjourns.

With the ferry between this city and Alexandria suspended by reason of the ice blockade and no trains leaving here for Alexandria from 11:25 a. m. to 4:30 p. m., communication between this and that city is more difficult and less frequent than it is between this city and Baltimore.

It was stated in some of the newspapers of this city that Rev. Dr. Bullock, Chaplain of the U. S. Senate, was present at a recent hop at Willard's Hotel. That was entirely incorrect. What the Doctor may think about the propriety of other people attending hops, he does not know; but the Doctor never attends hops, balls, operas, theatres or other public amusements of that kind.

The miscegenation case from Virginia to have been argued in the U. S. Supreme Court yesterday was dismissed for the reason that a case involving the same question is already before that Court.

Among the petitions recently presented in the House of Representatives is one from a negro employed in the folding room of the House, who is said to live in Alexandria, asking for the equalization of salaries of government employees.

There are two reports here current about the withdrawal of Mr. Brady's resignation as collector of the Petersburg Internal Revenue district in Virginia. One is that the President of the Court of Appeals of Virginia, Judge L. L. Lewis, would not consent that Brady should be clerk of that Court, which place had been promised him by General Mahone. The other is that the General feared that he could not have the man he wanted nominated as Brady's successor induced him to withdraw the nomination so as to avoid the appearance of defeat. Mr. Brady did resign, and his resignation was accepted. The question now is whether he can hold on to his office without a reapportionment.

The Abingdon Virginian, which has recently suspended, and upon which General Mahone holds a mortgage, will, it is understood, soon be relieved of that mortgage, and reappear as a regular democratic paper.

A member of the Senate Judiciary Committee informed the GAZETTE's correspondent to-day that nothing had been done toward perfecting a bill for the purchase of the Arlington estate since he talked with him last upon the same subject.

The democrats in the Ohio Congressional delegation are understood to be a unit for Mr. Giddies, a member of the House, as the democratic candidate for the next Governor of that State.

It is the common talk on both sides of the Capitol to-day that there will be an extra session of Congress, to meet immediately upon the adjournment of the present one.

The republicans see no chance of success in 1884 unless the democrats become divided, and so they are going to afford them every chance to divide.

The House resumed the consideration of the Naval bill at an early hour to-day and passed it.

E. H. Grubbs has recently been appointed postmaster at Happy Creek and Larkin Willis at Locust Dale, in Virginia, on democratic applications. These appointments, and others of the same sort recently made, show that General Mahone is not so keen after the Virginia postoffices as he used to be, or else that he has not the same swing at the Postoffice Department that he used to have.

To-day's session of the Senate was devoted entirely to the delivery of eulogies upon the late Senator Ben. Hill, of Georgia. Those who paid tribute to the memory of the deceased were Senators Brown, Ingalls, Vest, Morgan, Voorhees, Sherman, Edmunds, Jones and Burrow. Mr. Brown felt assured that his late colleague is enjoying the Christian's blissful immortality. Mr. Ingalls took an agnostic's view of the fate of the man on whose grave he threw some of the choicest flowers of rhetoric, and said that the prophet's question, "If a man die, shall he live again?" was still unanswered. All the orations were chaste, beautiful and affecting, and profound stillness reigned during their delivery. The chair occupied by the late Senator on the desk in front of which one rested the flower which sent him so highly, was draped in mourning. General Mahone sat in his seat during the first two orations; he then took a seat for a while in the door of the cloak room and smoked a cigar, and finally withdrew entirely into the recesses of that room.

Senator Bayard's daughter and a young Mr. Warren, of Boston, a descendant of General Warren, of revolutionary fame, were married here to-day.

A China letter to the *Troy Times* of a recent date says:

"In Canton we visited a restaurant where cats, rats and dogs were served for food. Dog steak, fried rat or cat stew were to be had at any hour. It has been often asserted that it is only one of the old Peter's stories that the Chinese eat these things. But it is true. We saw a whole piggy stew in a large kettle. We saw a table full of men satisfying their hunger with dog meat, and they ate with a hearty relish. We saw cats and pups in cages for sale and rats hung up waiting for purchasers. The dishes looked savory and the price of a meal was 'dog cheap,' but we did not indulge in 'bow-wow' soup, feline steak or rodent pot pie. We weren't hungry just then. The Celestials will tell you 'rat number one good eat' and show you rats skinned, rats salted, rats dried, rats hung up by the tails and rats strung on strings. If you doubt the genuineness of the article the proprietor will show you the meat with hair and tail attached for identification. Cat meat is said to be a fine tonic and rat is good for half-headed men. Puppies and kittens are generally preferred; old dogs and Tom cats are apt to be rather tough. Black cats are supposed to be more nutritious than white ones, hence the following advertisement seen in a shop window: 'Black cats served hot at all hours; also snakes, rats and dogs.'"

We have been reading the substance of the above all our life, but never having visited the celestial empire could not vouch for its truth. A few years ago, however, a missionary who had spent years in that country took the faith of many in this city who had had the notion instilled into their minds from infancy of the degraded taste of these Mongolians by stating in a Sunday school room one Sabbath morning that he had resided several years in Foo Chow, and had no more reason to suppose the citizens of that place cat dogs, rats, etc., than he had to think the same were edible in Alexandria. He was a quiet observer of Chinese customs, and in visiting their markets saw such things only exhibited for sale as were to be found in all civilized countries.

The grand jury in Washington yesterday dismissed the charges against Dickson, foreman of the star route jury.

**NEWS OF THE DAY.**

P. B. Plumb has been re-elected to the U. S. Senate from Kansas.

The last funeral rites of Prince Charles, of Germany, took place at Berlin yesterday.

The President gave a dinner last night to the diplomatic corps.

Mrs. Stonewall Jackson is visiting friends in Columbia, S. C.

Senatorial deadlocks continue in the Michigan, Minnesota and Nebraska legislatures.

The ex-Empress Eugenie left Paris yesterday, President Grevy having informed her that her presence was undesirable.

Mr. John Skinner Wright, a large coffee importer, of Baltimore and New York, is dead.

Samuel S. Greene, Professor of Mathematics in Brown University, died yesterday in Providence, R. I.

Jassen, the resurrectionist, was yesterday sentenced in the Washington Police Court to eleven months and twenty-nine days in jail.

Maria Sanders, on marrying John Beabot aged 84, at Ashland, Ohio, received a present of \$100,000 in real estate. She persists it was a love-match.

A commissioner from Turkey is coming to the United States shortly to complete tobacco contracts, owing to the severe failure in quantity and quality of the Turkish crops.

It grew colder yesterday in the upper Missouri valley, but moderated at Chicago and other points further east. Snow fell in the northwest and in the lake region.

Pope Leo XIII. has appointed to the vacant See of Charleston, S. C., in succession to the late Bishop Lynch, Mgr. Noris, as its first bishop, Mgr. Richter.

An altercation occurred at Towson, Md., yesterday between Col. McIntosh and ex-Judge Grason, resulting in Col. McIntosh being knocked down by a son of Judge Grason.

The net earnings of the Philadelphia and Erie Railroad Company for the past year amounted to about \$1,500,000, which is more than sufficient to meet the fixed charges of the company, which aggregate \$1,327,355.

St. Petersburg papers report that the bodies of two of Lieut. Chipp's party have been found at Chant Bay, and that they will arrive at St. Petersburg in February en route to America.

At Dublin yesterday Messrs. Davitt, Healy and Quinn were ordered to find securities for their good behavior, or go to prison for six months for seditious language. They will have a week in which to decide whether they will give bail or go to jail.

Talton Sykes intends to give about \$20,000 out of his private purse for the erection of a new Roman Catholic Cathedral in London and Lady Sykes will give an annual sum of \$200,000 to keep it in proper repair and embellishment.

The cold weather has inflicted terrible losses upon the drovers bound to Chicago with live stock and upon the packers at the stock yards, who were forced to suspend operations on Tuesday for want of supplies. Most of the hogs in the pens were either frozen to death or unfit for killing, and numerous trains on the railroads were blocked in the snow, with little chance of the animals reaching the yards alive.

Information has been received at Brisbane, Queensland, that a large three masted schooner was lost at the mouth of the Fly river, New Guinea. The crew, 17 in number, were killed by savages, their heads being cut off and distributed among the native villages. Capt. Pennafather, of the schooner Pearl, made a search but found only a lot of wreckage with nothing to identify the vessel. One old woman confessed that the crew had been murdered. Capt. Pennafather burned the native villages and destroyed their canoes.

Benjamin F. Burd, a railroad hand, was killed on Sunday in the railroad yard at Harrisburg. He was to have been married in a few days to Miss Mary Lane, and that lady was deeply affected by his death, and had her lover's photograph taken as he lay in his coffin. Before the funeral his mother appeared and disclosed the fact that the deceased had been married for three years, and his wife and her two children made themselves visible to follow his remains to the grave. Another Harrisburg lady claims that Burd was engaged to her also. So ends the romance.

The Woman's Suffrage Convention in Washington yesterday adopted resolutions declaring that woman suffrage means stable institutions, happy homes, equal wages and equal purity for men and women; and pronouncing the pending reforms in the civil service a dishonest pretense unless women are graded in the service the same as men; denouncing "the proposition to disfranchise the women of Utah for no crime whatsoever" as a "cruel display of power which lies in might alone;" and asserting that women should be given the ballot to preserve the integrity of society and the permanence of American institutions, in view of the fact that the immigration to this country now averages 500,000 persons per annum.

**CONGRESSIONAL PROCEEDINGS.**

**SENATE.**  
To-day having been set apart for services in honor of the late Senator Hill, immediately after the reading of the journal appropriate resolutions to the memory of the deceased were moved by Mr. Brown and adopted, after which the Senate adjourned.

**HOUSE.**  
The House, almost immediately after being called to order resumed the consideration of the naval appropriation bill.

The death of the late Senator Hill was announced and the House, as a mark of respect, adjourned.

**TRADE MARK.**—The use of any name or symbol as a trade mark must be new, to make an exclusive right to use it as such. If the term has ever before been used as applicable to a like article, it cannot be exclusively appropriated. It is also a rule that if the article is known to commerce in general by the term claimed as the trade mark, the claim is ill-founded. It is a further rule that if the term employed indicate the nature, kind or quality of the article, instead of showing the origin of it, an exclusive right to the use of the term may not be maintained.

**The Court of Appeals Yesterday.**

Boisseau vs. Boisseau, guardian, &c. Appeal allowed and supersedeas awarded to a decree pronounced by the Corporation Court of the town of Danville.

Baines vs. Walker; Baugh's executor vs. Walker. Argued.

Never try to raise a family without a good news paper, provided it contains the advertisement of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup; for this valuable medicine is necessary to keep your children in good health.

Miss Sallie M. Jacobs, Eastville, Northampton county, Va., says: "I derived much benefit from Brown's Iron Bitters in debility."

**VIRGINIA NEWS.**

The youngest son of the late Judge Wood Bouldin, of Charlotte county, is dead.

The Winchester Gas Company has reduced the price of gas to \$2.50 net per 1,000 feet.

Ex-Gov. Holliday, of Winchester, suffered severely from a fall on the ice a few days ago.

The two new cotton factories at Danville are receiving their machinery and will soon be in operation.

Had George Washington survived till the next 22d of February he would have been one hundred and fifty-one years old.

Mr. R. C. Gray, Jr., and Miss Maria E. Walker daughter of Gen. Lindsay Walker were married in Richmond yesterday.

Cornelius Holloway, of Manchester, shot and it is feared fatally wounded Washington G. Blackburn in a house of ill repute in Richmond last night.

On Saturday two colored men while walking across Hyco creek, near Hyco postoffice in Halifax county, fell into the water and were drowned.

A three-year-old daughter of Wm. Page, of Clarke county, was burned to death Sunday evening by her clothes accidentally taking fire.

Mr. William Clendenning, a worthy and successful farmer of Loudoun county, died at his home near Hillsborough last week, about the 73d year of age.

In Louisa county, near Frederick's Hall, lives an old colored woman who is known to be one hundred and six years old, who retains all of her faculties except her sight.

The country all around Bealeton, Fauquier county, is improving very rapidly. Comfortable houses, well filled barns and substantial fences greet the eye at every turn.

It is reported that Mr. Horace Dodd was frozen to death near his home at Dodsville in Fauquier county, last Wednesday. Mr. Dodd was a widely and well known gentleman.

On last Friday night the Staunton Artillery, under command of Lieutenant Shuey, fired a round of salutes in commemoration of the birthday of Gen. Robert E. Lee.

The Charlottesville Woolen Mills have been completed; the machinery, of double the former capacity, has been put in, and the mills expect to commence operations this week.

John Alderman, of Carroll county, who served a term of two years in the penitentiary for stealing, has been restored to citizenship by the removal of his political disabilities by the Governor.

Wm. Beanner, the colored boy convicted in the Circuit Court of Loudoun county for a criminal assault upon a little ten-year old white girl, has been sentenced by Judge Keith to be hung on Friday, the 30th day of March, between the hours of 6 and 8 a. m.

Because of a similar case now before the United States Supreme Court from Alabama, and which must first be decided, that of John C. Tinsley, the colored man convicted under the Virginia state law of miscegenation, was yesterday, by consent of the appellate, dismissed with costs.

A farmer in Madison has gone into the peanut business. He planted last spring one-fourth of an acre, from which he dug eighty-seven bushels, and after fattening six hogs had twenty bushels left. He sent the twenty bushels to a mill, had them ground and bolted, and says the meal makes the most delicious batter cakes he ever ate.

W. H. Garrett, of Petersburg, charged with assaulting a young lady living in the western part of that city, was lodged in jail yesterday to await examination before the mayor on Monday. Garrett is a married man with three children. The punishment for such crimes under the State laws is death or from ten to twenty years' imprisonment in the penitentiary.

The Chesapeake and Old Ohio Railroad Company contemplate the laying of a double track on that road the cost of which, with the sidings, &c., it is estimated will be about \$100,000. Work has been commenced at three points of the eastern division and at four points on the West Virginia division and at such places as the double track can, until the whole be finished, be best utilized for passing and storage of trains and cars.

The unprecedented cold weather has produced widespread destitution among the poorer classes in Lynchburg, and especially among the negroes, hundreds of whom are out of employment in consequence of the suspension of work in the tobacco factories. Mayor Pettigrew reports that he has never known so many applications for assistance, and it taxes the energies of the authorities and benevolent associations to ameliorate the suffering of the poor.

In Shenandoah county, last week, a fine buck deer made his appearance in a field near the dwelling of George Ryan, where he was seized by a dog. Two daughters of Mr. Ryan went to the scene of the fray, while the other ran back to the house for a butcher-knife. When she returned with the knife the deer was dead, the sister having killed it by striking it on the head a number of heavy blows with the club.

The U. S. census bulletin of statistics of manufactures in the various States and Territories of the United States shows that Virginia in 1880 had 3,710 manufacturing establishments, with \$29,968,990 capital invested. Average number of hands employed—males above sixteen years, 28,779; females above fifteen years, 6,146; children and youths, 5,361; total amount paid in wages, \$7,425,261; value of material, \$82,882,933; value of products, \$51,780,992.

A druggist in New Richmond, O., Mr. E. J. Donham, writes us the following: "I consider Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup one of the very best things made. I use it altogether in my own family and can therefore recommend it."

**MARRIED.**

At Alexandria, on Wednesday, the 17th inst., by Rev. John A. Kern, Mr. NATHAN H. VALE, of Jefferson county, Ohio, and MISS LETTIE R. DEMAINE, of this city.

At the residence of the bride's father, Dr. E. W. Allen, in Hanover county, on January 10, 1883, by Rev. R. H. Pitt, Mr. THOMAS H. PEACE, of Richmond, and Miss VIRGINIA J. ALLEN, of Hanover county, Va.

**DIED.**  
Suddenly, in 1883, MARIA, relict of the late Samuel McLean, formerly of Alexandria, Va.

At the residence of his mother-in-law, Mrs. E. L. Henderson, in Leesburg, 11:30 Sunday morning, January 21st, 1883, of pneumonia, Mr. WILLIAM G. BEVERLEY, second son of the late Wm. Beverley, of Loudoun county, in the 27th year of his age.

**PLANT STIMULANT.**—We have just prepared a fresh supply of the above preparation, that has been found by experience to be so valuable for plants in windows, gardens, conservatories and green houses.

**500 PAIRS LADIES' PEBBLE BOTTOM** Boots at \$1.00. They are far superior to any sold heretofore.

**WARREN'S KIDNEY AND LIVER CURE,** Diabetes Cure, Nervine and Pills, a large stock on hand.

**E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.**

**TO-DAY'S TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.**

Bernard Doran, aged 110, a veteran New York office-holder, is dead.

The Norwegian bark *Laidland*, from Dunkirk for Baltimore, has been abandoned at sea.

Hall and Sons' fire brick works in Buffalo, N. Y., were burned last night. The loss is \$40,000 which is covered by insurance.

Kate Judd, a domestic in the Newport, L. I., villa of Mr. J. G. Weaver, has confessed that she fired the place a night or two ago.

Nearly five hundred persons will be confirmed in St. Stephens (Roman Catholic) Church, New York, by Bishop Carrigan on Sunday next.

Vessels arriving at New York from Europe during the past few days report passing through terrible tempests. Several steamers are overdue.

A gun boat has gone to Jimmismurray Island, off the coast of Sligo, Ireland, with provisions for the inhabitants, who are reported to be starving.

Daniel Kelly sued John Davis for slander in the Supreme Court of Kings county, N. Y., recently, claiming \$5,000 damages, and yesterday recovered six cents.

The relations between the Governor of Candia and the Greek Consul there have been suspended. The vice Consul, having insulted the Governor, has been recalled to Athens.

An explosion of metal occurred yesterday afternoon at the Rison Iron works, at San Francisco, by which John Lyden was killed and Thomas Brady fatally injured. Both men were laborers.

The members of the Philadelphia Methodist Local Preachers' association are making an issue in that city upon the fact that the Superintendent of the Alms House refuses to furnish their committee with dinner on Sundays when it goes there to preach to the inmates.

The London *Times* in an editorial article this morning says: While France is passing through a crisis as severe as any she has experienced since the fall of M. Thiers, it is comforting to reflect that in all the other countries of Europe there reigns a tranquillity which for the present, nothing is likely to invade.

A frame building, 100 feet long, situated near Glen Gardner, N. J., belonging to the New Jersey Central Railroad Company, was burned last night, together with the contents. The machinery and several tons of broken stone fell over on the Central road delaying trains for several hours. The loss will amount to \$15,000. Fifty men are thrown out of employment.

**HOSTETTER'S**  
CELEBRATED  
**STOMACH BITTERS**  
Hostetter's Stomach Bitters gives steadiness to the nerves, induces a healthy natural flow of bile, prevents constipation without unduly purging the bowels, gently stimulates the circulation, and by promoting a vigorous condition of the physical system, promotes, also, that cheerfulness which is the truest indication of a well balanced condition of all the animal powers.  
For sale by all Druggists and Dealers generally. Jan 16

A Cough, Cold or Sore Throat should be stopped frequently results in an incurable lung disease or consumption. BROWN'S BRONCHIAL TROCHES do not disorder the stomach like cough syrups and balsams, but act directly on the inflamed parts, allaying irritation, give relief in Asthma, Bronchitis, Croup, Catarrh, and the Throat Troubles which Singers and Public Speakers are subject to. For thirty years Brown's Bronchial Troches have been recommended by physicians, and have always given perfect satisfaction. Having been tested by wide and constant use for nearly an entire generation they have attained well merited rank among the few staple remedies of the age. Sold at 25 cts. a box everywhere.

**OPENING AND CLOSING OF THE MAILS.**

**CLOSING.**  
Washington, D. C., and Northern mails 8:00 a. m., 12 m. and 6 and 8:15 p. m.  
Western mails 4:30 and 8:15 p. m.  
Southern mails, via Richmond, Va., 6:00 and 11:00 a. m., and 4:30 and 9:00 p. m.  
South and Southwestern mails, via Lynchburg, Va., through mails, 9:00 p. m. Through and way mails, 6:00 a. m.  
Manassas Division 6:00 a. m.  
Alexandria to Round Hill, Va., 8:00 a. m.  
**OPENING.**  
Northern and Western mails, via Washington, D. C., 8:00 a. m., 12 m. and 6 p. m.  
Southern mails, via Richmond, Va., 8:30 and 9:30 a. m., and 1:15 p. m.  
Southwestern mails, via Lynchburg, Virginia, 8:30 a. m. and 9:30 p. m.  
Manassas Division 6:15 p. m.  
Round Hill to Alexandria, Va., 3:30 p. m.  
Warrenton 3:15 a. m.  
Office Hours—Office opens at 8:30 a. m., and closes at 7:00 p. m.  
Sunday Hours—Office opens at 9:00 a. m., and closes at 9:30 a. m.

**CARD PAPETERIES!**  
A large stock at less than cost; also Children's Paper and Envelopes.  
dec16 RO. BELL'S SONS.

**POLE CORNICES**  
—at—  
nov11 TENNESON & CO'S, 114 King street.

**WE WILL COMMENCE REBUILDING OUR** store in a few days and in order to reduce stock we will sell cheaper than ever before.  
jan9 JOS. KAUFMANN, Agt.

**CRUSHED CORN, OATS, CUT HAY AND** Long Hay for sale by  
dec22 CHAS. S. TAYLOR, Jr., 21 King street.

**1-4 REAM OF OUR PURE LINEN NOTE** A desirable and useful present.  
dec16 RO. BELL'S SONS.

**COTTON SEED MEAL.**—One car Cotton Seed Meal, received this day, for sale in large or small quantities by  
dec21 F. J. POLLARD, No. 255 King st., cor. Henry.

**HAY.**—Clover Hay, Timothy and Clover Hay mixed, cut or long, for sale by  
dec21 F. J. POLLARD, No. 255 King st., cor. Henry.

**LOOK! LOOK!—LONDON CATTLE PENNY** in 6 lb boxes, can be purchased for one dollar per box at  
feb4 W. F. CRIGHTON'S, 85 King street.

**FOR CHAPPED HANDS, LIPS, FACE, &c., try** CHLORITE. Price 25c per bottle. For sale by  
dec15 J. D. H. LUNT, Druggist, 2nd Corner King and Washington sts.

**TOWELS AND NAPKINS,** cheapest and best for price in the market.  
jan20 AMOS B. SLAYMAKER.

**ALL KINDS WOOLEN UNDERWEAR** at greatly reduced prices, at  
dec15 AMOS B. SLAYMAKER'S.

**CHAMOIS SKINS,** a fine assortment, at  
dec13 WARFIELD & HALL'S, Cor. Prince and Fairfax streets.

**ROCKBROCK ALUM WATER,** Buffalo Lithia  
dec15 Cong. do, &c., &c., for sale by  
E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

**MILL FEED!** MILL FEED!—50 tons choice  
dec22 Wheat Bran, Brown Stuff and Middlings for sale by  
CHAS. S. TAYLOR, Jr., 21 King street.

**SLED! SLED! SLED!**—Just received a nice  
dec15 lot of Sleds at low prices.  
McLEAN & UHLER, 76 King st.

**TRY LUNT'S GERMAN RHEUMATIC REMEDY.** Price 50 cts. a bottle.  
jan13

**5 BOXES CHOICE NEW CITRON** just received  
dec14 J. C. MILBURN.

**MONEY AND COMMERCIAL.**

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—The stock market opened irregular but in the main a fraction higher than at yesterday's close. Later the market was weak and recorded a decline of 1 1/2 per cent in Denver and Rio Grande which dropped to 44 and 44 1/4 in the remainder of the list. Louisville and Nashville, Alto and Terre Haute and St. Paul being prominent there. At 11 o'clock there was a general improvement of 1/4 per cent led by Denver and Rio Grande